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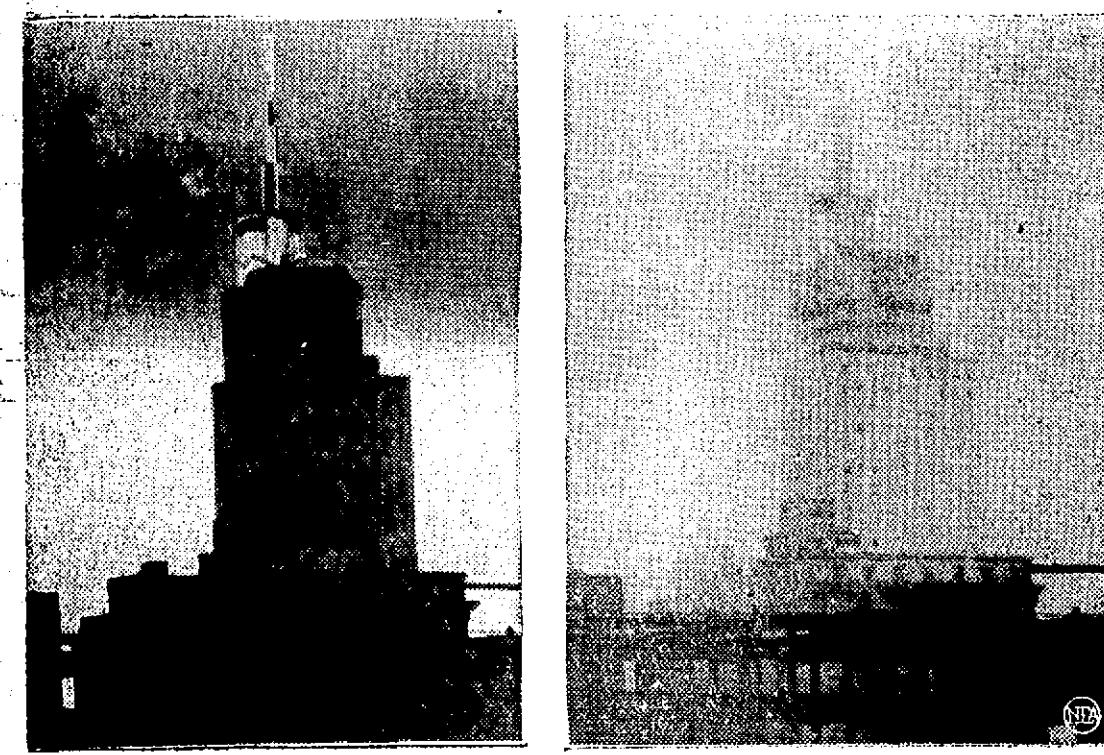
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DUST — Dust storm that swept out of the Texas Panhandle and across the Southwest over the weekend cut visibility to less than a mile in Dallas. Picture at left was made at 6:56 a. m. April 9. Twelve minutes later, at 7:08 a. m., building was almost lost in swirling red dust. — NEA Telephoto

## Snow and Sleet Fall on Parts of Arkansas

By The Associated Press

An April snow, mixed with sleet, fell on Fayetteville in northwest Arkansas early today. It didn't stick.

Dust and fog were reported at Walnut Ridge and Flippin this morning, but—with the exception of the northeastern portion of the state—no rain is forecast until Friday.

The forecast by the U.S. Weather Bureau calls for mostly cloudy skies and cool temperatures with occasional rain in the northeast this afternoon. Scattered showers are expected Friday. A warming trend is forecast about Sunday.

More than two inches of rain fell at Ozark during the 24 hours ending 7 a. m. today. Several other points reported more than one inch of rain. Hot Springs measured 1.25, Gilbert 1.20, Arkadelphia 1.10 and Batesville 1.05. Other measurements included .90 at Flippin, .83 at Pine Bluff, .76 at Little Rock, .75 at Fort Smith, .58 at Walnut Ridge and Texarkana, .36 at Fayetteville and .28 at El Dorado.

Since the year began, 22.86 inches of rain has been measured at Little Rock—6.98 inches above normal.

Weathermen said yesterday's rain was brought by a cold front which crossed the state last night bringing cooler temperatures.

The state's lowest reported temperature last night was 35 degrees at Mountain Home in north central Arkansas. Other minimum readings included 30 degrees at Fayetteville, 33 at Fort Smith, 41 at Flippin, Little Rock and Texarkana, 43 at El Dorado and Pine Bluff and 45 at Walnut Ridge.

Temperatures today were not expected to climb above the 50s.

## Circuit Court Gets Started Here Today

Hempstead Circuit Court was scheduled to get underway Tuesday afternoon following a short session Monday which was primarily devoted to a discussion and the setting of cases.

In one action, E. J. Whitman vs. Tom Duckett, action on account, dismissed.

Last weekend in Juvenile Court before Judge U. G. Garrett, four Negro boys, pleaded guilty to grand larceny and were given two years probation.

The boys admitted to stealing various items from local stores and selling them.

## John Keck to Again Head VFW Group

John V. Keck will head the VFW organization again this year. Other officers recently elected are: Phillips DelVicchio, senior vice-commander; James A. Collier, junior vice-commander; Willie McCorkle, quartermaster; Herbert Griffin, chaplain; C. V. Nunn Jr., judge advocate; Hays Munn, three-year trustee and George Walden, surgeon.

The new officers will be installed at a regular meeting April 25. A regular meeting of the organization will be held Wednesday night, April 11, at 8 o'clock. Two important business matters will be discussed.

## Marine Sergeant Who Ordered Men Into Water Death Trap Did So to Teach Them Discipline

### Extended Forecast

For the period April 10-15:

ARKANSAS: Temperatures 2-6 degrees below normal. Normal minima 40-54. Normal maxima 67-78. Rising trend Wednesday and Thursday. Cooler again about Friday. Warmer Sunday. Precipitation moderate to locally heavy with scattered thunderstorms mainly Thursday and Friday.

## Dust Storms Ruin 2 Million Texas Acres

By United Press

A destructive April storm dwindled into rains and wet snows over the nation's midsection today, leaving at least 2-million acres of eroded land in Texas.

Skies cleared over Texas and other Southwest states today after "black blusters" tore away tons of topsoil.

A dollars-and-cents estimate of the damage was still impossible.

But the Texas state soil conservation office estimated that 2-million acres of land had been eroded by dust storms during the last week.

At least three deaths were blamed on the Texas bluster, the worst in seven years in many areas, and the northeast counted six dead in another wintry outbreak.

New England and other eastern seaboard residents were busy cleaning up from the latest of a series of snow storms which have swept the area.

They were heartened by official assurances that a flood threat has passed. It was feared earlier that melting snows would send streams over their banks. But Brig. Gen. Robert Fleming, Jr., chief of the New England army engineers division, said today there is "little chance" of major floods on coastal streams in the missing man continued.

PARRIS ISLAND, S. C. (AP)—Young Marine recruits, most still in their teens, recounted today tales of swirling cold winter, inky blackness and panic in which five of their buddies drowned and a sixth disappeared.

Marine officers opened an inquiry to fix blame, if any, for the tragedy which occurred Sunday night on an unscheduled hike of 75 men into swampy marshland bordering this Marine recruit training base.

The drill sergeant who directed the men on the night march was held in detention pending the outcome of the investigation.

Bodies of five recruits drowned in the training maneuver were re-Continued on Page Two

## A Few Facts About Bahamas—Where Diving for Coins Has Turned Into Two-Bit Sport

By HAL BOYLE  
NASSAU, Bahamas (AP)—Leaves from a sunburned notebook:

"Tourists arriving here by ship in the old days used to get a thrill out of tossing pennies into the sea and watching native diving boys retrieve them."

But it has graduated into a two-bit sport today.

Several boatloads of the boys, their ebony bodies glistening in the morning sun, rowed out to meet our cruise vessel, the S. S. Nassau. One of the passengers lining the upper deck rails slipped out a penny. The boys below watched disinterestedly as the copper coin hit the water and sank.

One of them looked up and called intones of dignified reproach: "Please, nothing smaller than a quarter."

It is difficult say what is more

entertaining on a cruise—to look at the sights or watch the tourists, who make quite a spectacle of themselves.

They storm ashore at the first chance, a merry mob in search of souvenirs at a bargain rate.

The surest way to tell a tourist here is by the fact that half an hour after he hits Bay Street, the main shopping thoroughfare, he will be wearing a \$1.50 Nassau straw hat. The local residents go bare-headed.

Liquor prices are about half what they are in the United States. You are allowed to return with a gallon duty-free, and most visitors avail themselves of the privilege. Oddly, half of them explain pointedly to the other half: "It's not for me. I'm taking it back for friends."

But most tourists are infected with a strange buying fever. They

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## Pine Bluff Site of International Newsprint Mill

PINE BLUFF (AP)—The Pine Bluff Commercial published an extra today on the announcement of International Paper Co.'s plans to construct a 57 million dollar paper mill here.

Higher crude oil prices presumably would be passed along to consumers in the form of higher prices for gasoline and heating fuel. The last increase, in 1953, amounted to about 25 cents a barrel paper mill here.

The 4-page extra edition on the streets 15 minutes after the formal announcement, was the first in a decade. The Commercial issued an extra on a tornado in 1946.

PINE BLUFF, Ark. (AP)—Plans for construction of a 57 million dollar paper mill at this southeast Arkansas city were announced today by International Paper Co.

The announcement by J. H. Hinman, International board chairman, was released through the Pine Bluff Chamber of Commerce.

Hinman said the plan will manufacture newsprint and kraft board for packaging frozen foods.

The plant is expected to produce 130,000 tons of newsprint and 165,000 tons of bleached kraft boards yearly.

Located on a 4,000-acre site on the northeast fringe of Pine Bluff, the completed plant will employ 1,450 men and women workers. The announcement said a chemical pulp mill and bleached kraft machine are expected to be in operation by September 1957. A ground wood mill and a newsprint machine are scheduled for their first operation later in 1957.

"The rapid industrial and agricultural expansion in the South in recent years has made it one of the fastest growing markets in the world for newsprint," Hinman said. "Completion of the projected Arkansas mill will make it possible for our companies to make a substantial addition to the South's newsprint resources and will help us to meet the expanding demand in southern states from locally produced newsprint."

But if Congress doesn't revise the bill again to meet administrative wishes, Martin said in an interview, "I'm reasonably sure," President Eisenhower will veto it—and keep Congress in session until it approves another farm measure.

Key Democrats, and some Republicans, said Congress will not pass any alternate legislation if a veto kills the pending bill.

The facility, expected to be the largest of its kind in the country, will be owned by the government and will be operated by Lockheed.

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Martin said Mr. Eisenhower intends to request congressional action "if danger" arises. But, he said, there is no reason to expect such a request at this time.

Sen. Styles Bridges (R-N.H.) was asked if he was proposing any congressional action now and the answer was no." Senator Republican Leader William F. Knowland (Calif.) likewise emphasized that "no request was made for any congressional action."

The conference came only hours after the President issued a formal warning that the United States would "support and assist" any victim of aggression in the Middle East.

Mr. Eisenhower also has scheduled a major foreign policy speech April 21 in which the main theme will be the tinder-box Arab-Israeli dispute.

In his statement from Augusta, Ga., last night, Mr. Eisenhower said he regards the situation in the Middle East "with the utmost seriousness."

Today the Star was authorized to announce the candidacy of Clifford Russell for the office of County Judge. Mr. Russell issued the following statement in behalf of his candidacy:

"Clifford Russell, well known business man and farmer announces as candidate for the office of County Judge of Hempstead County.

"In announcing his candidacy for the office he has this to say: "I am forty-six years old was born on a farm in Clark County where I was reared and received my education. At the age of nineteen I moved to Hempstead County where I have lived since. I am married and we have two boys, one girl, and two granddaughters. I live on the farm until World War II when we had to leave the farm as it was taken over by the South Western Proving Ground. I was employed there during the construction period, and was on the fire department for over five years.

"After the disbandment of the proving ground, I purchased a grocery store on North Hazel Street which we have owned and operated successfully for the past eleven years. In 1948 I rented some of the old proving ground land and have been successful in farming since.

"If I am elected I expect to be a full time judge, giving you honest and efficient service. As this is my first time to ask for public office I am running on my own reputation of honesty, efficiency, and capability. I am not being sponsored by any individual, group, or organization; but I am depending entirely on the voters of Hempstead County to elect me to the office of County Judge. I expect to make a complete canvass of the county seeing every voter and asking you personally for your support in the coming election, but if I should miss anyone I want to take this opportunity to ask you to vote for me as I want to be your next County Judge."

R. Q. Kingaid, Texarkana, district deputy grand master of A. M. Grand Lodge, writes: "A few days ago your paper printed a notice of a district meet to be held in Nashville . . . as district grand master, also as CO Director of Zone A. I want to congratulate Whitefield Masonic Lodge of Hope for receiving grand prize for attendance at this meet . . . I think this is something your community should be proud of."

Mrs. Kenneth Brice, the former Pauline Hatcher whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hatcher live here, and three sons have arrived in Japan to join their husband and father, Capt. Kenneth Brice . . . they sailed March 16 aboard the USS General Gaffey . . . the Brices have lived in various sections of the U. S. and spent five years in the West Indies . . . when Capt. Brice was sent to Japan, Mrs. Brice and children made their

home in Hope, awaiting clearance to join Mr. Brice.

A possible second candidate for Alderman Ward One is being talked . . . Roy Taylor has already announced he would seek the post . . . now comes a report that Hendrix Spraggins may enter.

Thomas A. Pedron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond B. Pedron of Hope, was promoted to first lieutenant recently while serving with the U. S. Army at Camp Chaffee, where he is executive officer of Battery A of the 3d Battalion.

Dr. F. Douglas Lawson, provost of the Medical School said the plans to change Nettleship's status were part of an administrative revision.

Dr. Caldwell said his meeting with Dr. Nettleship would be closed to newsmen.

The Boy Scout Court of Honor will be held tonight at 7:30 at First Methodist Church, according to Haskell Jones, the Scout master.

It is difficult say what is more

## IPS Talks Up an Oil Price Hike

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The Independent Petroleum Association contends an increase in crude oil prices is "overdue and unavoidable" because of rising production costs.

Higher crude oil prices presumably would be passed along to consumers in the form of higher prices for gasoline and heating fuel. The last increase, in 1953, amounted to about 25 cents a barrel.

In a letter to association members, General Counsel Russell B. Brown yesterday cited costs of wages, steel and other materials as reasons for raising prices.

He did not propose a specific figure or say when the increase should take effect. But he said "there is no sound reason for doubting that a general increase should and will be made at an early date."

## GOP Seeking Key to Farm Measure

By LEWIS GULICK

WASHINGTON (UPI)—House Republicans' efforts searched for a key to victory in an uphill battle for the election year farm bill more to administration linking.

Republican leader Joseph M. Martin Jr. (Mass.) predicted a winning formula would be found at a special conference of all House Republicans this afternoon.

But the leaders emphasized that the administration did not request such authority at this time. They said there appears to be no immediate emergency requiring congressional action now.

Dulles and the leaders discussed the rising tension in the Middle East at a 90-minute conference at the State Department. Dulles called the meeting with the express approval of President Eisenhower.

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## Boyle

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will buy anything from a Mickey Mouse watch to a bolt of English lace—just as they think it's a bargain.

"One tourist I met, wearily trudging along with a native basket loaded with knicknacks, said:

"Isn't this an odd town? I've looked all day for a place where I could buy a package of Life Savers. Couldn't find them anywhere."

He walked on, shaking his head at a doleful Robinson Crusoe in search of civilization.

But the best bargain in Old Nassau to many a food lover is conch chowder. It has a rich, almost nut-like tang to it that makes Manhattan or Boston clam chowder pale in comparison.

Some two centuries ago 3,000 pirates hung out in the Bahamas. It couldn't have been the food that caused so many to flock here. It must have been the conch chowder.

Nassau is a conservative community. While it welcomes all tourists, it doesn't like to see too much tourist epidemics exposed anywhere except at the beach.

"It is against Bahamian custom," says a polite note handed to all visitors, "for ladies to appear on the public streets in extremely short shorts and bra or halter ensembles are not welcomed on the streets and should not be worn while shopping."

This commonsense rule has done much to enable Nassau to retain its old world charm. It is picturesque enough as it is. It has no desire to be flooded by tourists who stand looking as if they were refugees from a shipwreck.

## Marine Sergeant

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covered yesterday.

An air, ground and water search for the missing sixth man continued.

The 16 men followed S. Sgt. Matthew C. McKeon, 31, of Worcester, Mass., into the swift, icy waters of the stream. Capt. Ralph Wood, the Harris Island public information officer, said at first the night maneuver may have been a disciplinary action. But the survivors disclaimed this and cited Sgt. McKeon for his heroic action in helping to get the men out of the water.

Marine officials said that although the hike was unscheduled, Sgt. McKeon, as a drill instructor, has the authority to order such hikes. The men were not carrying weapons and were not dressed in full field equipment when they entered the waters of the 65-foot wide stream.

Gen. Randolph Pate, Marine Corps commandant, came here from Washington immediately to supervise the investigation. Maj. Gen. Joseph C. Burger, commanding general of the base, said "this is a most serious tragedy and one which I am investigating to the fullest." "No one regrets this incident more than I."

The Marine Corps identified the victims as:

Donald Francis O'Shea of Brooklyn, N.Y.

Charles Francis Reilly of Clyde, N.Y.

Jerry Lamont Thomas of Alexandria, Va.

Teroy Thompson of Brooklyn, N.Y.

Norman Alfred Wood of Bay Shore, N.Y.

Still missing was Thomas Curtis Hardeman of Vidalia, Ga.

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## MARKETS

## The Weather

BROILERS

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LITTLE ROCK (UPI) — Northwest area: Market weak. Demand fair. Broilers and fryers 19-20 cents; mostly 19 cents.

Batesville—Floral area: Market weak; Demand fair. Broilers and fryers 9-20 cents; mostly 9-19 cents.

All prices f. o. b. farm.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK (UPI) — Cotton futures moved in a narrow range today, with traders awaiting further cotton developments at Washington. The market was generally higher on trade buying and short covering.

Late afternoon prices were 45 cents a bale higher t o s close, May 30, 69, July 33.67 and October 32.54.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK (UPI) — Some deep losses were suffered by high priced stocks today in a generally declining market.

In the early afternoon, losses of 1 to 3 points were numerous in many major sections of the list. Gains went to a point at the best, but there were few of them.

POULTRY AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO (UPI) — Live poultry steady on hens and caponettes; about steady on young stock receipts in coop 505; yesterday 808 coops, 89,000 lbs; P.O.B. paying prices unchanged; heavy hens 22-27; light hens 18-19; broilers or fryers 22.5-23.5; old roosters 15-18; caponettes under 4½ lb 25-26; over 4½ lb 29-30; ducklings 25.

Butter steady; receipts 1,143,000 wholesales buying prices unchanged 93 score AA.57; 92 A.57; 90 B.55; 89 C.54.5; cans 90 B.56.25; 80 C.55.25.

Eggs steady; receipts 17,200; wholesale buying prices unchanged; U. S. large whites 70 per cent and over A's 28.5; 60-69.9 per cent over A's 39.5; mixed 39-39.5; medium 38; U. S. standards 38; dirties 37; checks 36.5; current receipts 37.5.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (UPI) — USDA — Hogs 11,000; mostly higher; bulk mixed 180-240 lb 14.75-15.00; 14.75 most popular price; uneven or mostly No. 3, down to 14.50; moderate numbers mostly 1s and 2s around 190-225 lb 15.25; 43 head largely 1s around 225 lb 15.50; 150-170 lb 13.75-14.25; few 14.50; 120-140 lb 12.25-13.50; sows 400 lb down 12.75-13.25; heavier sows 11.75-12.50; boars over 250 lb 7.50-8.00; lighter weights to 9.00.

Cattle 4,200; calves 1,000; higher asking prices slowing movement of steers; mostly good steers 17.50-18.00; high commercial and low, good 16.50 commercial and good heifers and mixed yearlings largely 15.00-17.50; utility and commercial cows mainly 12.00-13.00; canners and cutters 9.00-12.00; utility and commercial bulls 13.00-15.00; canners and cutters 10.00-12.50; vealers and calves steady; choice vealers 20.00-23.00; high choice to prime 24.00-25.00; good and choice 17.00-20.00; cul and commercial 10.00-18.00.

Sheep, about steady; choice few prime, woolled lambs 21.00; most good and choice 16.50-20.50; utility and good 15.00-18.50; culs around 12.00; choice spring lambs 22.50; choice shorn lambs No. 3, pelts 19.00; woolled ewes 4.50-6.00.

TURNED AROUND

NEW YORK (UPI) — Rudolph Gibiser, 27, swore he was sober yesterday when he parked his car on 66th St., a one-way street. He returned from work several hours later to find his car the only one on the street parked facing east.

While he was working the traffic department changed the direction of the street from east to west to facilitate cross town traffic movement, Gibiser learned from a policeman.

Fossil plants are created in two ways: by preservation in a bed of rock of the plant itself in a form similar to coal and by turning into solid rock by substitution of minerals of the water in the plant.

## NAACP Fights

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Thursday in which 64 Arabs were killed and 102 wounded. Most of the casualties were Palestine refugees.

Egypt has denied that the raiders are acting under Egyptian army orders, saying they are refugees not subject to military control.

There was no immediate reaction from either Israel or the Arabs to President Eisenhower's declaration that the United States is "determined to support and assist any nation subjected to aggression in the Middle East."

Stevenson's name is alone on the

## Illinois Votes in Popularity Poll Today

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CHICAGO (UPI) — A popularity poll for President Eisenhower and his 1952 Democratic opponent, Adlai E. Stevenson, features the Illinois presidential preference primary today.

Voting hours are from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m. (CST). Cloudy skies were forecast with a possibility of rain or snow.

Stevenson, in his final bid for support in a television broadcast last night, said: "This one means a great deal to me." He added that the "whole nation" will be watching the Illinois results.

The statement, issued with full approval of Eisenhower and Dulles, said further:

"The United States, in accordance with its responsibilities under the charter of the United Nations, will observe its commitments within constitutional means to oppose any aggression in the area."

"The United States is likewise determined to support and assist any nation which might be subjected to such aggression. The United States is confident that other nations will act similarly in the cause of peace."

## SEEKS RE-ELECTION

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (UPI) — A Jonesboro man announced yesterday that he will seek re-election as prosecuting attorney of the second judicial district. Terry L. Shell filed his corrupt practices and party pledges with Secretary of State C. G. Hall as a candidate for a second term in the post. The second district includes Craighead, Greene, Clay, Mississippi, Crittenden, Cross and Poinsett counties.

Eisenhower has only taken opposition in the Republican primary. The presidential preference primary took the spotlight away from the state and local races. There were only four major state contests and political experts predicted a turnout of about two million of the state's nearly five million registered voters.

26 are openly for Stevenson; three are for Kefauver and the others have not announced their favorite. The delegates run unpledged and do not have announce any preference.

Vice presidential write-in votes will not be counted.

Gov. William G. Stratton, one of the nation's youngest governors at 42, was favored to win renomination over four opponents. His leading opponent appears to be State Treasurer Warren E. Wright, 60.

Herbert C. Paschen, Cook County Chicago treasurer, with backing by the regular Democratic organization, and Morris B. Sachs, Chicago city treasurer, are contenders for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination.

There are no races for the U.S. Senate nomination. Republican Sen. Everett Dirksen will oppose State Rep. Richard Stengel, Democrat, in November.

Twenty-five Congressmen will be nominated and no upsets of incumbents were indicated.

## Alabama Has New Oil Discovery

CITRONELLE, Ala. (UPI) — The No. 1 Opie Earle, 10th producer of the Citronelle Oil field, is flowing at 150 barrels a day.

Gulf Refining Co. spokesman said yesterday the new well, about a mile east northeast of the Donovan discovery well, was producing from its upper sands. Lower sands have been sealed. Favorable sands in the tests indicated they will be producers.

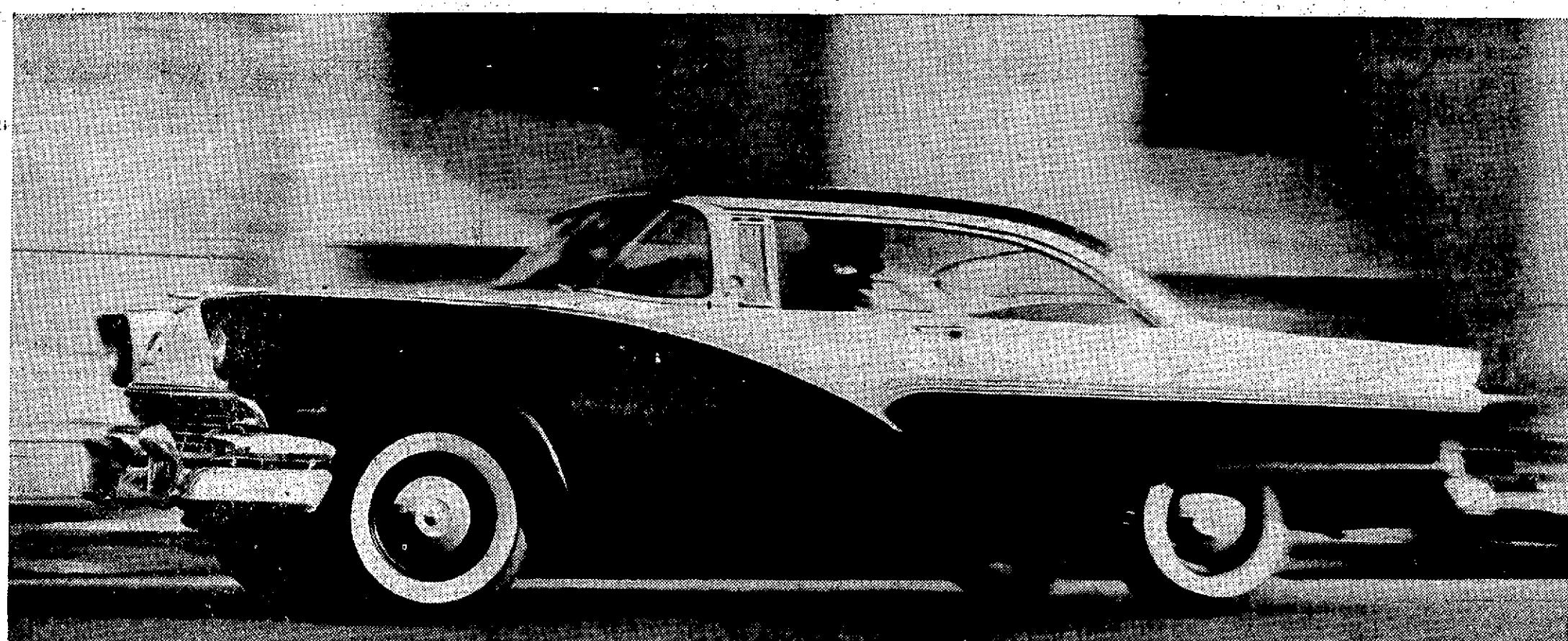
They are the No. 1 Birlie Walker, with about 20 feet of tight oil sand, between 10,815 and 10,865 feet, and the No. 1 Citronelle Unit No. 12, with 22 feet of oil sand at 10,800 to 10,945 feet.

The favorable report from No. 12 widens the probably production area of the field to at least a mile and a half. The area extends 3½ miles northeast to southwest.

The field, opened last August with the Donovan discovery well, also has three other probably successes.

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## Calendar

Tuesday April 10

Whitfield Masonic Lodge No. 239 will hold its regular stated meeting Tuesday night at 7:30.

Beacon Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church will meet Tuesday, April 10, at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Cecil O'Steen with Mrs. Billy Ray Seale as associate hostess.

American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday night at 7:30 with Mrs. M. McCleughan. Mrs. Claud Agee and Mrs. Raymond Jones will serve as co-hostess.

Ambassador Sunday School Class of Garrett Memorial Baptist Church will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Elbert O'Steen with Mrs. Verel McAdams as co-hostess.

Wednesday April 11

The Executive Committee of Brookwood School will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 to be followed by regular P. T. A. meeting at 3 o'clock.

Paisley P. T. A. will meet Wednesday April 11, at 3 o'clock in the School Auditorium. The executive committee will meet at 2:30 preceding regular P. T. A. meeting.

Garland P. T. A. meets Wednesday in the Auditorium at 3 p. m. The Executive Council will meet at 2:30.

The Ladies of the Rose Garden Club are asked to bring tools and Oxalis bulbs and come to Fair Park Drive Wednesday morning at 9:30.

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Welfare Group  
Names Officers

HOT SPRINGS (AP) — Mrs. Alice Lochbaum of Little Rock was re-elected president of the Arkansas Association of Welfare Workers at the association's annual convention here yesterday.

Mrs. Virginia Wright of Pine Bluff was re-elected secretary.

Future in TV  
Has Misgivings  
for Dina Shore

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Dina Shore is a confessed non-changer. So she has misgivings about current talks concerning her TV future.

Dinah has amassed many friends for her sprightly 15-minute songfest on NBC twice weekly. But this year she tried one hour-long show in the Tuesday at 8 spot. It was hit and she's doing another tonight. Her co-stars are Dean Martin, doing his first single on network TV, and Marge and Gower Champion. Gower is directing the show.

Meanwhile, there is much talk about Dinah's doing as many as 26 hour shows next year and scuttling her 15-minutes. It has her confused.

"Everything happens at once," she signed, catching her breath between rehearsals. "We're doing our regular show, and rehearsing for the big one. Talks are going on not only about what I'll do next season, but also concerning a contract with NBC.

"My trouble is that I don't like to change. I've always been that way. It took months of talking to get me to move from one record company to another.

"It took all kinds of persuading to get me to move out of Encino. Now we live in Beverly Hills and life is much, much simpler.

"I always like to keep things the way they are. That's why I want to hold onto the 15-minute show. It's a simple show—well, not so simple, really. We try a lot of ambitious things to keep us on

9:30 a. m. and immediately following this, the Executive Board will meet.

Circle 1 had the most members present, and the report on the annual WSCS conference held in Mavern in March and the District meeting in Ashdown was given by Mrs. Claude Tillery.

The meeting closed with the benediction.

Mrs. J. W. Smith  
Hostess To  
Rose Garden Club

The home of Mrs. J. W. Smith was the scene for the meeting of the Rose Garden Club on April 6 with Mrs. W. H. Gunter as co-hostess.

During the business session reports were heard from all committees, and the President, Mrs. James Myers appointed the following committees: nominating committee, Mrs. Harry Shiver, Mrs. J. S. Gibson and Mrs. Cecil Weaver.

Civic Project committee; Mrs. George Hughes, Mrs. Cecil Little and Mrs. S. L. Murphy, Project for Garden Club; Mrs. Harry Shiver, Mrs. L. D. Barnum, Mrs. Henry Fenwick and Mrs. Ralph Lehman Sr.

Plans were made for attending the State Convention in Hot Springs May 4. Civic Project chairman, Mrs. Hughes asked all members of the Rose Garden Club to meet at Fair Park Drive Wednesday morning at 9:30 to plant Oxalis bulbs.

Members voted to change meeting time from 3 p. m. to 2 p. m. beginning in September.

Mrs. S. L. Murphy gave a very interesting and informative program on, "Garden Designs." Mrs. Garrett Story presented an arrangement of iris.

The May meeting was changed to May 11, as several members plan to attend State Convention.

A most delicious dessert plate and drinks were served to the 17 members and three guests.

The ladder was used effectively as background for the closing prayer.

The meeting was closed with the CWF benediction.

WSCS Circle 1 Meeting

WSCS Circle 1 of the First Methodist Church met at 2 p. m. April 9, in the Sanctuary of the Church. The meeting opened with the singing of the hymn, "I Am Thine O Lord."

A most inspirational devotional on, "Service" was given by Mrs. W. M. Reinhardt.

The minutes were read and approved, the treasury chest opened and an offering taken. It was announced the Spiritual Life Group will meet Wednesday April 11, at

## Personal Mention

The many friends of Mrs. Mattie Tomlin will be glad to know she is at home improving after undergoing surgery in a Little Rock hospital.

## Coming and Going

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chaney of Dodge City, Kansas will arrive today to be guest of her mother, Mrs. Frank Hutchens and her sister, Mrs. Coy Breeding, Mr. Breeding and little son Johnny.

## Hospital Notes

Memorial  
Admitted: Coy Yates, Hope. Fatty Gurls, Rosston, Rt. 2, Mrs. Richard Evans, Hope, Helen Weston, Hope, Mrs. Tom Ed Hays, Hope, Mrs. Gladys Duffy, Hope, Mrs. Cecil E. Smith, Fulton.

Discharged: Mrs. Horace Billings, Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Evans of Hope, announce the arrival of a baby girl April 9, 1956.

## DOROTHY DIX

Father of 12 Takes Some Responsibility  
Gifts Not Obligatory Here  
Wants Confidential Answer

our toes and keep up the viewer interest.

But it seems to me there must be a lot of people who like to have a show with music and nothing else. At least we seem to have had some success with it. We had 96 per cent identification meaning that 96 per cent of the viewers can identify the sponsor's product.

Another factor she has considered is how much the added work would interfere with her home life. Her present schedule is so arranged that she quits work at 5 p.m. and can get home to her two young children before bed-time.

"Perhaps I could still work on that schedule," she remarked. "But a bigger show would be more to think about. And you can't just quit work and leave it behind when you go home."

As with the other changes in her life, she'll probably submit to the hour show and no doubt make a big success with it. The trend in network thinking has been away from the 15-minute song segments, especially since the success of Perry Como in switching to an hour variety program. The nets aim to get more mileage out of their name singers.

## GOT IT FIXED

SAN FRANCISCO (UP) — Policeman David R. Gardner got off duty as turnkey at city prison, went to his car and found that the ignition wires had been pulled loose.

He went back to the jail, found a car thief and put him to work fixing the wires. Gardner was soon on his way home.

If you talk the way you write, you must be reminding him constantly that you're sorry you can't

Worcester, Mass. claims that the cotton gin, sewing machine, power carpet loom, steam calliope, and street lunch cart were invented there.

CLARICE

Dear Clarice: A confidential reply will be sent to anyone enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

be more attractive, gay or care-free. Switch the theme. The youngsters are his, their care must also be partly his. Don't make demands, just assume that he's willing and able to help with his family.

As a matter of fact, you might point out that he should be proud of his brood. Don't stress the hardships of bringing up a family, but point up the pleasant traits of each child. And for heaven's sake, drop all talk of divorce. Keep it up and you won't have much trouble implanting the idea in Mike's mind. It should never be discussed or even mentioned.

Now I realize I'm not the wife he would like me to be, but after caring for the youngsters and doing housework all day, I don't seem to have pep. I feel I'm a complete failure as a wife. Perhaps Mike would be happier with someone else.

You have a wonderful family; keep it intact.

Dear Dorothy Dix: My husband and I are planning a surprise party for the silver wedding anniversary of his parents. They have just about everything in the line of household equipment, so I'd like to have each guest bring his gift in the form of silver dollars and deposit them in a silver dish. How could we word the invitations?"

STEPHANIE

Dear Stephanie: Please give up the idea. You're running a party to honor two beloved people — not a charity bazaar. Presents are definitely not obligatory at a wedding anniversary. You'd do better to discourage them by adding, "No gifts please!" to your invitations.

CLARICE

Dear Dorothy Dix: My problem is very personal and I'd prefer not to have it printed in our column. Do you give personal answers?

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## Violent Death Toll in State Reaches 15

By The Associated Press  
A weekend of highway accidents accounted for almost half the violent deaths reported in Arkansas during the week that ended at midnight last night.

There were six traffic deaths.

A 32-year-old Hot Springs plumber, Virgil Hughes, was killed by explosion blast at a Hot Springs court Saturday. Deputy Prosecutor Scott Campbell said that Harrison D. Hayes, 47, also of Hot Springs, had admitted the shooting but said that it was self-defense. Hayes said that Hughes had beaten him.

A Conway woman, Mrs. Charles Foster, 29, was killed instantly in a car collision Sunday on Highway 40 near Havana, Yell County. State Trooper Dick Keithley said that she was riding in a car driven by her husband. Their car and one driven by Troy Yenell of Havana collided, Keithley said. Other man was injured seriously.

Several accidents Saturday occurred near the Prairie County town of Biscoe, where two were killed at North Little Rock, near West Helena, near Thurman and near Mörilton.

John Reuben Balboa, 27, was booked on a charge of negligent homicide in connection with the West Helena accident. State Prosecutor Dwight Galloway said that Balboa of the Lexia community near West Helena, had admitted driving the car that struck and killed Tom Grimes, 84, a retired farmer. Galloway quoted Balboa as saying he "got scared" and drove to Helena to have a headlight repaired and did not return the accident.

Another fatality occurred Saturday when a man was struck by train at Africita in northeast Arkansas.

An explosion of dynamite killed a farmer near Harrison Thursday. In the tragedy wasn't discovered until Saturday.

There were two fatal highway mishaps near Wilmot, Ashley County, Thursday and another at Harrison Wednesday.

One death was caused by accidental electrocution at a Scary, Lat. man was killed by falling tree near Paragould.

## Man Held in Spa Shooting

HOT SPRINGS, Ark. — Police have arrested a 47-year-old man in connection with the fatal shooting Saturday of a 22-year-old number in a tourist court here. The victim was Virgil Hughes, who was dead on arrival at hospital. Deputy Prosecutor Scott Campbell said that Harrison D. Hayes had admitted shooting Hughes with a 16-gauge shotgun, but said that he fired in self-defense. Campbell quoted Hayes as saying there had been an argument and that Hughes had beaten him.

Franklin D. Roosevelt, with more than 12 years in office, had the longest presidential administration. William Henry Harrison, who served one month, had the shortest.

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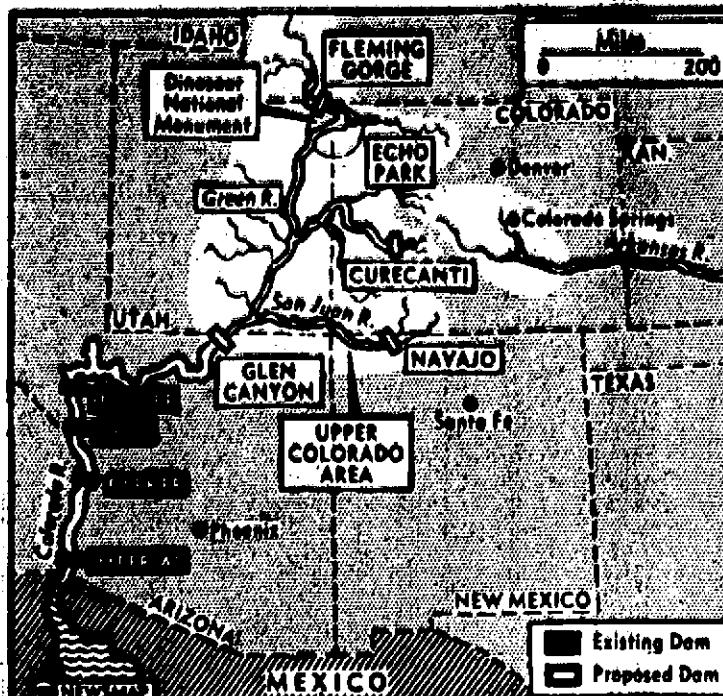
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**OKAY ON THE COLORADO** — Though the pros and the cons fought tooth and nail for months over the upper Colorado dam and power project, Congress okayed it with a minimum of squabbling a compromise bill and passed it on to the President for his signature. Newsmap shows location of the four major dams authorized by the new bill. The proposed Echo Park storage dam, focus of some of the bitterest controversy, is eliminated. Glen Canyon dam, the largest of the four, is expected to produce enough electric power revenue to pay the cost of the entire project, estimated at 1.5 billion dollars. Names in white type indicate existing Colorado River dams.

## PREScott NEWS

### Brownies Meet

The Brownies met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of the sponsor, Mrs. Kenneth Reaves, with Marcia and Kathy Reaves hostesses.

Following the meeting, games were played and a weiner roast on the lawn was enjoyed by the 18 members present.

### Cub Scout Den 3 meeting

The weekly meeting of Cub Scout Den 3 was held at the home of Mrs. Archie Johnson with Mrs. Ralph Gordon assisting.

The afternoon was spent making note books on birds and planning bird houses that will be built this month.

Refreshments were served to Dennis White, Tommy Roe, Gil Johnson, Alec Gordon, Gregg Buchanan and Duane Vandiver.

### Presbyterian Pioneers Have Party

The Pioneers of the Presbyterian Church enjoyed a party Thursday night in the church basement. This came at the end of an attendance contest in which the losing side entertained the winners. Several games were directed by Mrs. W. G. Bensberg, following which ice cream and cake were served to the 27 guests. Mrs. O. W. Watkins and Mrs. Walter Ray Cox assisted Mrs. Bensberg.

### W. C. T. U. Has April Meeting

The April meeting of the Womans' Christian Temperance Union was held on Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. B. Hesterly with Mrs. Fred White and Mrs. Andrew Gordon assisting hostesses.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with arrangements of iris, daisies and camellias.

The president, Mrs. Burke Shelton, called the meeting to order with prayer. Mrs. Theo Elgin gave the devotional based on Psalm 1 after which the hymn "Take My Life and Let it Be" was sang.

The national president's message was read by Mrs. S. O. Logan.

An interesting book review on "The Way to Sobriety" was given by Mrs. Joe R. Hamilton.

The Aaronic benediction repeated in Union closed the meeting.

A dainty dessert course was served by the hostesses.

### Dill—Howard Vows Exchanged

The marriage of Miss Anne Craige and Howard James Hamilton Dill of Prescott, Ark., was impressively solemnized Wednesday April 4 at Christ Episcopal Church at Nashville, Tenn.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Branch Howard and the bridegroom is the son of Col. L. C. Dill U. S. A. (retired) and Mrs. Dill of Prescott.

As the large great company assembled, a program of music was presented by F. Arthur Henkel organist and Allen Parrent Vocalist.

The Rev. Raymond T. Ferris rector, assisted by the Rev. Henry Nutt Parsley, Chaplain of Canterbury House, read the vows at 8:30 p.m.

The altar was banked with arrangements of formal clipped huckleberry trees, forming a background for the white tulips white heather and stock. Scores of burning tapers in single and branched holders illuminated the scene.

Mr. Howard gave his daughter in marriage. She was attired in a bridal gown of white satin fashioned with long petal-pointed sleeves, a figurine bodice featuring a heart-shaped neckline with yoke of imported silk illusion.

The graceful skirt, terminating in a cathedral train, was highlighted with trailing appliqued roses down the front and studded with pearls. The cathedral veil of Brussels lace was attached to a cap of the lace over illusion and embroidered with pearls.

The bride carried a crescent-shaped bouquet of phalaenopsis orchids. Her only jewelry was an antique gold necklace and an heirloom gold Tiffany bracelet.

Miss Annette Irwin was maid of honor and Mrs. William Feller Howard was her bridesmaid. Junior attendants were Miss Mary Craige Kimbrough, cousin of the bride and Miss Anne Wright Hart.

Their waist-length dresses of pink taffeta were fashioned with off-the-shoulder necklines, long torso bodices and bouffant skirts finished with inserts of lace over deep rose taffeta at the hiplines and large taffeta bustle bows. Their lace caps were pinned over the rose taffeta. They carried loose arm bouquets of pink tulips and pink and white heather.

William Frank Lampe served as Mr. Dill's best man and groomsman were: Charles Guyton Anderson III, F. F. Donovan Jr., Capt. Donald E. Lomposon U. S. A. and William Feller Howard, cousin of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Howard entertained at a reception at their home 3310 West End Ave. for the bridal party out-of-town guests and close friends of the two families.

Recycling with Mr. and Mrs. Howard and the bridal couple were the bridegroom's parents, and his grandmother, Mrs. Bradley Hamilton of Prescott.

Assisting in the hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Howard Jr., of Atlanta, cousins of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Miller Kimbrough uncle and aunt of the bride. Miss Mary Young of Davison, N. C. and Mrs. Walter Richardson. Also assisting were Misses Ada Mosely, Lazinka Mosely, Mary Dale McIver and Jean Ellen Richardson, all young cousins of the bride.

Mrs. Howard chose a seafoam green lace floor length gown, a white beaded hat and white phalaenopsis orchids. Mrs. Dill was attired in a sky blue lace gown matching accessories and a shoulder bouquet of pink camellias. Mrs. Hamilton, the bridegroom's grandmother, wore a violet crepe dress and a corsage of white camellias.

French candelabra on the mantel in the drawing room, where the guest were received, were garlanded with smilax, renaissance.

Arrangements of white snapdragons, pink champagne roses and tulips decorated the drawing room and the reception hall.

The bride's table was overlaid with an imported lace cloth and decorated with a wedding cake encircled with smilax starred with gardenias and two antique silver cake servers filled with gardenias.

flanked by Candelabra holding ivory tapers.

Later in the evening Mr. Dill and his bride left for a brief wedding trip. For traveling Mrs. Dill wore a soft gray wool suit, a white hat trimmed in avocado green and matching avocado shoes and purse.

Upon their return they will be at home at 5504 Kendall drive, Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. N. R. Nelson and Lynn are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Pope, at Dyersburg, Tenn.

T. R. Moberg has returned from Baton Rouge, La., where he attended the Fifth Annual Forestry Symposium at L. S. U.

Mrs. Paul Hiett and Paula are the guests of Mrs. Delma Bolls in Macon, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sandusky and Judy of Kansas City, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lemons of Waldron have been the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sardis Greer and other relatives.

Mrs. Robbie Wilson, Mrs. J. W. Gist, Mrs. Hugh McDaniel and Miss Sue Martin attended the Arkadelphia B. & P. W. birthday meeting on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Durham and Elsie of Harlingen, Texas are spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitaker and other relatives.

Mrs. R. F. Yarbrough and Mrs. Miriam Adams were Thursday visitors in Texarkana.

Friends of Mrs. Frank Turberville will be glad to know she is the paternal grandparents.

## McClellan to Glean Facts in Lobby Case

By JOHN CHADWICK

WASHINGTON (AP) — Evidence compiled in an investigation of a \$2,500 campaign gift rejected by Sen. Francis Case (R-SD) will be combed for "any loose ends" useful in a broader lobby inquiry. Sen. McClellan (D-Ark.) said today.

McClellan is chairman of a special Senate committee assigned to search out any improper or illegal attempts to influence senators or other federal officials through lobbying, campaign contributions or other activities and to recommend remedial legislation.

He said it will start where a smaller special committee headed by Sen. George (D-Ga.) left off.

That inquiry was limited to the circumstances surrounding an oil lobby's attempt to contribute to

Case's reelection campaign during Senate debate on the natural gas bill.

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INDISPENSABLE

HUNTINGTON PARK, Calif. (UPI) — A candidate running for the office of city councilman said he decided a few years ago to go into politics so he legally changed his name. It's Frank Indispensable Hogan.

## Faubus to Speak at Forest Fire Meet

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Gov. Orval Faubus of Arkansas is among the first Southern Forest Fire Prevention Conference here Friday and Saturday.

The meeting to consider methods

of stopping criminal and careless forest fires has been endorsed by the Conference of Southern Governors.

Studies of Greenland indicated that the island may be divided into at least three parts by canyons

scraped out below sea level by glaciers.

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## Thought For The Day

Money is a bottomless sea, in which honor, conscience, and truth may be drowned. —Kozlak said it.

## Quaint Quips

A woman driver is a woman who drives like a man and gets blamed for it. —Tennessee Ernie Ford.

Nobody ever pulled a rabbit out of a hat without carefully putting one there in the first place. —J. H. Kindelberger.

## Calendar Of Events

The Hopewell P. T. A. will hold its regular meeting Wednesday April 11, at 7:30 p. m. All members are asked to be present so that plans may be completed for the 'Father and Son' Banquet, which will be held Friday night, April 20.

The District Union meeting will be held at the North Side Church of God in Christ, 911 Bell St., Wednesday, April 11, at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Elder O. N. Dennis, Pastor.

Elder F. Davis, President.

The Yerger Band Mother's Club will meet Wednesday, April 11, at 7 p. m. All members are asked to be present so that final plans may be made for the 'Band Concert' which is scheduled for April 27.

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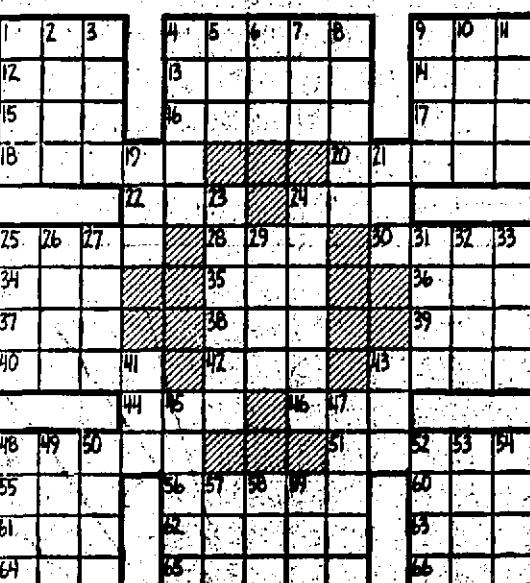
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## Screen Star

## Answer to Previous Puzzle

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2 Approach	2 Fiddling
3 Fiddling	Roman
4 Basque cap	5 Meadow
5 Meadow	6 Years (ab.)
6 Years (ab.)	7 Upsel
7 Upsel	8 State in Germany
8 State in Germany	27 City in Alaska
9 Bristle	29 Passage in the brain
10 Nobleman	31 Sea eagle
11 Large plant	32 Presently
12 Born	33 Novice
13 Weird	41 Rocky
14 Organ of hearing	43 Female saints
15 Paving substance	45 Join
16 Grates	47 Bury
17 Cornish town (prefix)	48 Eager
18 Eat away	49 Challenge
20 Flake	50 Mountain (comb. form)
22 Goddess of infatuation	52 Italian city
24 Lion	53 Platform
25 Gainsay	54 Female
28 Falsehood	55 Oriental coin
30 Bird's home	56 Column
34 River (Sp.)	58 Compass point
35 Indonesian of Mindanao	
36 Masculine appellation	
37 Upper limb	
38 Scatter, as hay	
39 Neither	
40 Vegetable	
42 Before	
43 Cotton fabric	
44 Pronoun	
46 Narrow inlet	
48 Embellish	
51 Requires	
55 Pikelike fish	
56 Small island	
60 Perched	
61 Native metal	
62 Pester	
63 Cravat	
64 The earth (comb. form)	
65 Penetrate	
66 Worm	



By Dick Turner

## CARNIVAL



"Your stance is all wrong, Cyclone—you gotta learn to keep your elbows off the canvas more!"

## SIDE GLANCES

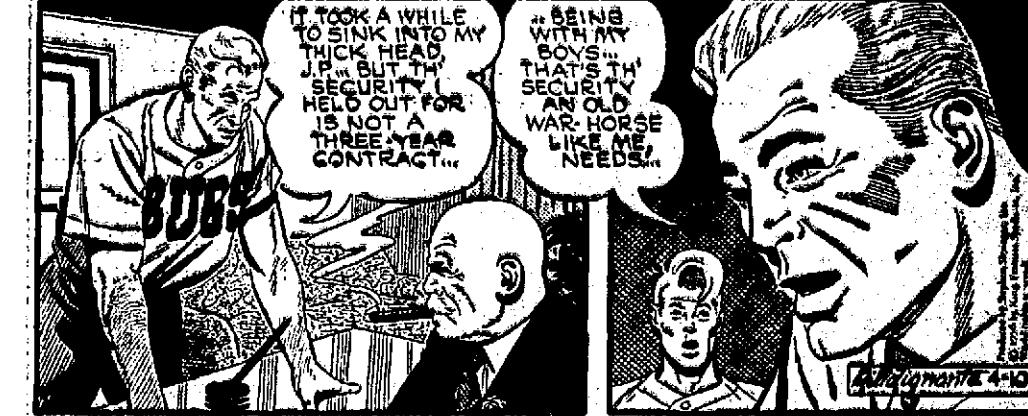
By Galloredi



"Paper everywhere but in the basket! I never liked the man who sits at this desk, whoever he is!"

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## OZARK IKE



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## OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople



## FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



"Sorry, but I can't keep her off—she's hatching eggs!"

## SWEETIE PIE

By Nadine Solter



"Naps, always naps! You want me to grow up to be a sleeping beauty or something?"

## MORTY MEEKLE



By Dick Gaylor

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## Kefauver Is a Write-in in Illinois

CHICAGO (AP) U. S. Adlai Stevenson is winding up his bid for the backing of his home state for the Democratic presidential nomination with a flurry of Kefauver-style handshaking and some new pot shots at his chief opponent.

Also eyeing later primaries, Stevenson offered to debate issues with Sen. Estes Kefauver in Florida after tomorrow's Illinois voting. Kefauver promptly accepted the idea, but there was no immediate formal invitation.

The Illinois primary may be a crucial test for Stevenson. He is the state's former governor, the Democratic organization is almost solidly behind him, and his is the only name printed on the Democratic presidential preference ballot.

But Kefauver supporters are urging voters to write in the name of the lanky Tennesseean in what they call a "spontaneous" movement. Stevenson himself predicts Kefauver may get a "substantial write-in" in Illinois.

Each party will elect 50 convention delegates tomorrow. A state convention later will choose an additional 28 delegates-at-large, each with one half vote, to make up the remainder of the Democratic 64-vote delegation to the national convention. The Republicans will fill out a 60-vote delegation with convention-elected-at-large delegates. Stevenson yesterday went further in the criticism of Kefauver's voting record in Congress that last week drew charges of "mud-slinging" from Kefauver.

## Ike Has Flown 106,603 Miles for the U. S.

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH  
WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower, leaving today for a week at Augusta, Ga., already has piled up 105,603 miles of business and pleasure travel since taking office.

Figures from White House records indicate he has been away from Washington about 38 per cent of the time.

On this ninth trip to Augusta, one of his favorite relaxation spots, Eisenhower plans a week of golf mixed with work. He arranged to fly in his personal plane, Columbine III. The flight takes about 2½ hours.

At the Augusta National Golf Course, Eisenhower may get in a round with Jack Burke Jr., who yesterday won the annual Masters tournament there, and with Ken Venturi, whom Burke defeated by one stroke on the final hole. This is Eisenhower's 1,176th day

## Ever See a Red Diamond?

By CLAUDE BYRD

The chances are you haven't. But there are diamonds of that unusual color and — strange as it may seem — there are even green diamonds and some of a cinnamon-pink hue. If you have — and I studied much of the history and geography of Russia, you know that set on top of the imperial Russian sceptre there is a fabulous yellow diamond that was the envy of countless kings and queens.

Another question: Do you know how the diamond got its name? It's interesting. Its name comes from the word, adamas, which means invincible. And it is, in a sense, because the diamond is in the field of precious stones. Its substance is the hardest ever known to man — and only another diamond, set in a special tool, can cut it. The diamond can be split, but it can never be scratched or destroyed. Brides since time immemorial have wished for a lovely diamond ring to accompany the traditional wedding band. The diamond is April's birthstone, and comes in any month, thrilled to get and wear one. For years we have featured perfect blue, white diamonds of all sizes — to fit all wishes and pocketbooks. I think you will frankly say you've never seen a finer display of diamonds than ours.

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## THE LONG BODY

by Helen McCloy

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rect as Byrd. It was simply impossible to imagine any one of them stealing papers from John's desk.

There were no other friends or neighbors here, no other house in any direction for several miles, except one little cottage that was for sale, and, so far as Alice knew, it wasn't sold or even rented to anyone at resent.

A step on the stair snapped the thread of her thought. There was something furtive, almost guilty, in the quick movement of her hand — thrusting the green envelope and dirty red stamp back in the little drawer, slamming the drawer shut.

She must push the thing out of her mind as firmly as she had shut the drawer. There was still a reason to go on living — John's son, Malcolm.

Before her mind's eye flashed a picture of the haggard face and gray temples she had seen in the glass a moment ago. Miss Lash would be English. A cloud of pale hair, skin dazzling as apple blossom, mouth like a rose . . . Or perhaps some refugee name shortened for convenience.

They had been so many and so exquisite, those European women who had drifted through the embassy drawing rooms with such effortless elegance in the old Paris days. Never once had John given her occasion for jealousy.

Miss Lash. Not papers pertaining to Sybil or Irina. John's attempt to spare his wife's feelings if she chanced on the envelope? No, initials would have been more logical for that purpose. This was a woman he thought of, automatically, as Miss, when he was jotting down her name on an envelope.

It had a cold ring.

Suppose some political adventurer or fanatic were also an attractive woman. Suppose John believed her interest in him was purely personal. What bitterness for him if he finally suspected the truth. He would not betray to authority someone he loved unless he had overwhelming proof. Some men might,

## Symington Still Not Talking Politics

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Sen. Stuart Symington (D-Mo.) yesterday brushed aside newsmen's questions about his chances of being the Democratic nominee for president and said he is not a candidate.

"I'm more interested in the nation's air program than I am in this question about his candidacy," Symington countered.

Symington spent the day golfing and sightseeing. He left for Washington last night.

Platinum was known to the Colombian Indians of South America long before Columbus discovered the New World.

but not John. Yet he would feel he must keep some record or evidence of his suspicions, in case he discovered later that they were true. He wouldn't dare keep such evidence with his official papers. Other officials had access to those. And he wouldn't want his wife to know anything about the situation either. What could he do then, but lock the evidence in drawer of his own desk and keep the key on his key ring?

With sudden decision, Alice realized that she did not have the strength to destroy this envelope unopened. She was in her 40's. She might live another 30 years. She could not live all those years with this torturing uncertainty.

Perhers there was nothing of real importance in the envelope after all. Perhaps she would find peace and trust again after one glance inside.

Her trembling fingers fumbled clumsily with the knot in the red string. It was several moments before she could get it untied. The string slid away in a writhing coil with the horrid agility of a worm: her nails clawed at the flap of the envelope. It was unsealed. As it unfamiliar scent, heady and tantalizing. She lifted the open envelope and looked inside.

It was empty.

Sgt. Drew Brown, head of the police arson squad, ruled out incendiarism. He said the fire might have started from an overheated furnace in the basement.

Firemen fought the blaze for more than an hour in below freezing temperature. They carried at least a dozen residents down ladders.

## 800 Come to Aid of Drumright

DRUMRIGHT, Okla. (AP) — An estimated 800 persons came to this tornado-torn town yesterday to join about 200 Drumright residents in helping clean up the debris strewn by last Monday's twister, which claimed five lives.

"The response was terrific," said Mayor H. C. King. "We can't thank these people enough."

## Overflow Crowd at Merged Church

CHICAGO (AP) — Extra chairs were needed yesterday to handle the overflow of an unexpectedly large turnout for the first services of a merged white and Negro church.

The Rev. John H. Tredrea, pastor of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Communion in suburban Maywood said he was surprised.

"I am very pleased and happy with the response. I am firmly convinced that the representation

this morning indicates that the membership is with us," he commented.

Many of the white members of Holy Communion personally welcomed the newcomers from the former St. Simon the Cyrenian Episcopal Church, a Negro mission established in 1937. Holy Communion was established 70 years ago.

Switzerland is among the countries that have acquired merchant fleets since World War II. Others are Liberia, Ireland, Costa Rica and Ecuador.

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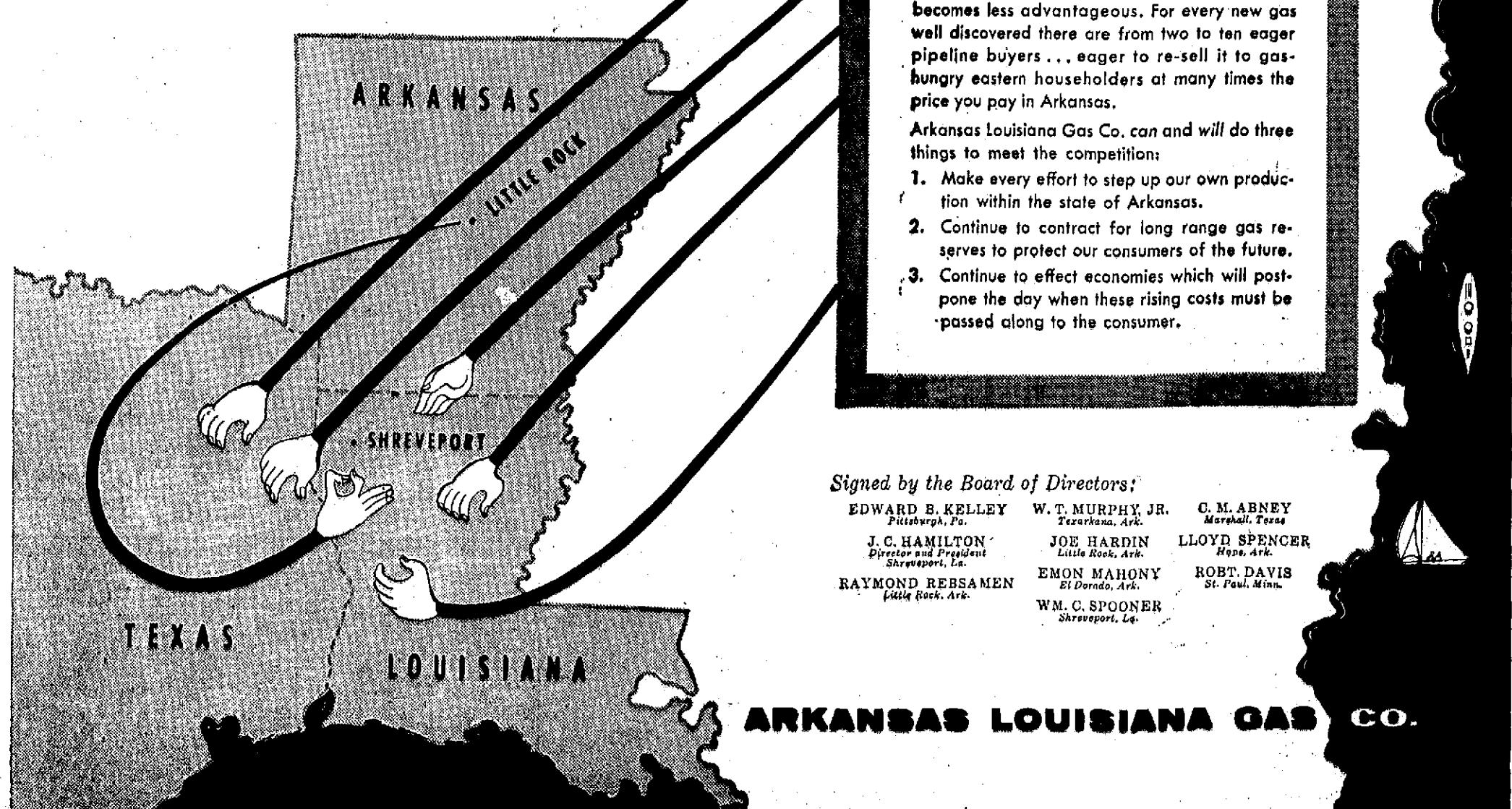
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